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### MADISON COUNTY.

#### DREYFUS.

Apr. 26.—Rev. Jas. Lunsford filled his regular appointment at the Disciples' Church Sunday.—Rev. Spencer of Winchester preached to a large and interested crowd Thursday night at the Baptist Church.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Red Lick have returned home after a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones.—Miss Mina Jones spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Herd.—Mrs. F. M. Jones and Mrs. W. B. Baker are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Baker of Berea.—Misses Maude and Vichie Alexander were the guests of the Misses Baker last week.—Mrs. W. D. Coyle has returned home after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alexander of Mite.—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones of Brassfield were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Herd, Sunday.—Quite a number of Kluge people attended church here Sunday, among whom were Miss Martha Powell and Mr. Murry.—Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hale of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones last week.—Mr. Willard Becknell and wife of Clover Bottom visited Charlie Jones and family Saturday and Sunday.—Miss Bertha Baker was the guest of Miss Bula Ruble Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Rucker spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. James Young.—Mr. Davis has returned from Winchester and will resume his work in the tie woods soon.

### JACKSON COUNTY.

#### MIDDLE FORK.

Apr. 27.—Farmers are getting along nicely in this neighborhood.—Mr. Wesley Combs passed thru here Thursday with his little camera, taking pictures. Everybody was glad to see him.—Mr. D. D. Cole went to McKee Wednesday on business. On his way home his horse got scared at the guide post and jumped into the mill pond below Jim Angel's. He got out safe.—The sick in this community are slowly recovering. Dr. J. D. Hays makes about three trips a week to see the sick folks of this place.—Della Angel visited relatives and friends at Indian Creek Thursday.—Mrs. Belle Tussey and three of her little children are sick.—Sallie Parkers is planning to go to Hamilton next Saturday.—Ollie and Doolie Angel visited at Dan Angel's Tuesday last.—J. P. Wilson came to the postoffice Friday, after his Citizen. On his way back he was reading and ran into Renfro Branch. Cap says, "You bet I hung to my Citizen."—Ben Tussey went to Indian Creek Wednesday on business.—Does Wilson got thrown from a mule the other day and his little finger was thrown out of joint.—W. F. Settle is drumming on Plasters this spring.—Mrs. John Summers and daughter Mary, who were reported sick with pneumonia are still no better.—There will be preaching in the new church house at Old Union the first Sunday in May. Everybody is invited. Also the Sunday school will be organized.—Riley Gabbard of Hurley attended church at Leter Box Sunday.—Viney Wilson visited Minnie Angel Sunday evening.

#### FOXTOWN.

Apr. 23.—We are having plenty of rain now and the farmers are getting behind with their crops.—Court adjourned at McKee last week.—Samuel Baker was up from Panola lately, hauling ties.—E. P. Baker and family visited Wm. Lakes Saturday and Sunday.—Della Lakes visited E. P. Baker Sunday night.—Mrs. Amos Fox visited Thomas Lakes Sunday.—

Polly Fox visited Mr. C. M. and Sarah Baker Tuesday.—Carter Fowler purchased a horse from Jesse Baker for \$85.00.—Jesse Baker purchased a horse from Harvey Bowles of McKee for \$77.50.—Peter Gabbard sold two mules a few days ago for \$250.00.—Harden Long of near Richmond, Ky., passed thru here a few days ago, looking for a school.—George McKinnay of this place says he is tired of the goods business.

### HURLEY.

Apr. 25.—We are having some very nice weather now, and the farmers are all planning to plant corn.—The ladies are all taking advantage of the pretty weather and are planting out their gardens. Aunt Louisa Gabbard says it's work time now.—Riley Gabbard visited friends at Leter Box Saturday and Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isaacs and family of Wamsia visited Mrs. Isaacs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palestine Gabbard of this place, Saturday and Sunday last.—Tammie Angel and Mrs. Minnie Morris were guests at Paul Gabbard's Sunday evening of last week.—The wedding bells are ringing again in this community. Married, on the 23d inst., Shade Angel to Miss Ida Cole. The groom 30 years old and the bride 14. Rev. James Cole officiated. We wish the couple a happy and prosperous life.—Mrs. Dave Gabbard was recently called to the home of her grandmother Mrs. Susan Lakes, who is very poorly with rheumatism and paralysis.—Aunt Elizabeth McCollum visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Louisa Gabbard, Tuesday.—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCollum, Jr., is very poorly with whooping cough.

### DRIP ROCK.

Apr. 27.—Mrs. J. H. Collins of Asbur, Ky., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Luthant.—W. R. Lynch and family have moved to Irvine, Ky.—J. E. Parsons and Harvey Coffey made a flying trip to Berea Sunday and returned Monday.—Mr. Isaac Fowler had a nice cow die a few days ago. She was poisoned by eating buckeyes.—Mr. Dan Miller is planning to move from our neighborhood. He says he has not decided where he will go to just yet.—Frank Welch and wife of Irvine, passed thru here Thursday on their way to McKee to visit Mr. Welch's father.—Coleman Farthing and Mrs. Mary Isaacs were married Thursday, at the home of the bride. They left Friday for Middle Fork, where they expect to make their home.—Mrs. Andy Lathant is reported to be improving.—Mr. and Mrs. Parsons called to see Mr. A. H. Webb who is very sick.—We have a letter from Mr. J. B. Alcorn. He writes that he arrived in Ft. Crook, Nebraska without any mishaps, and has taken up life as a soldier again.—Mrs. Sallie Parsons was the guest of Mrs. A. C. Alcorn, Sunday.—Mrs. Nannie Cox is ill.—Messrs. W. H. Clark and A. L. Baker passed thru here Monday on their way to Irvine to attend Circuit Court.—Farmers of this section are behind in their farming.

### KERRY KNOB.

Apr. 29.—We have been having very pretty weather for the last week.—Mr. James Click had a log rolling Thursday and had several hands and got all his logs rolled.—Mr. and Mrs. James Williams spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Lydia Click.—Ethel Jackson visited Nannie Williams Sunday.—Miss Martha Click was the guest of Myrtle Click Saturday night.—Mr. Walter Williams spent Saturday night with Mr. Will Jones of Bear Willow.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clemmons, a big boy, on April 28th.—Mrs. Dona Powell spent Sunday with Miss Jamie Reese, who is sick.—Aunt Martha Click, who has been sick so long is able to walk again.—Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson spent Saturday night with Mr. James Click and family.—People are very busy with their crops since the weather has become so fair.—Our Sunday school seems to be almost gone down of late. We hope it will soon revive again.

### NOTICE.

The Jackson county Examination for Common School graduates will be held at the Tyner Schoolhouse on the second Saturday in May.

A Common School Commencement will be held at Welchburg, Jackson county, Ky., Saturday, June 1st, 1907. The exercises will consist of addresses, essays, orations and awarding of Common School diplomas. Each Common School graduate will be expected to have either an essay or an oration. A prize will be given the young man having the best original oration; also one will be given the young lady having the best original essay.

H. F. MINTER, S. C. S.  
Jackson County.

### ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

#### LEVEL GREEN.

Apr. 23.—Sunday school at Poplar Grove is progressing nicely.—Dan Miller has moved his heading mill from this place to near Brodhead.—The recent cold weather has proved very damaging to fruit and all vegetation. The wheat crop looks very discouraging. The our farmers are still hoping for a good yield.—Coleman Braughton of Somerset was visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.—Joseph Brown and family visited relatives near Brodhead Saturday and Sunday.—W. H. Brown and family visited at W. B. Poter's Sunday.—Mrs. J. B. Cummins visited Mrs. J. W. Brown Sunday.—Some of our farmers have commenced planting corn.—W. H. Brown is in the huxter business, making a trip to Brodhead each week.—Uncle John Major is very sick and his recovery is doubtful.—Uncle John Hurst, who has been sick since last November, is getting some better.

#### ROCKFORD.

Apr. 29.—Mr. W. C. Viars, who has been sick is improving.—Next Saturday and Sunday is the regular meeting at Scaffold Cane.—Mr. I. C. Viars and daughter, Beulah, visited in Berea Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin visited W. C. Viars and family Sunday evening.—Miss Recie Todd visited her cousin, Miss Virginia Martin Sunday last.—Miss Reale McCollum visited Mrs. Mae Bullen Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Waddle visited home folks in Scaffold Cane Sunday night.—Mrs. Annie Llanville, who has been sick, is somewhat better.—Last Saturday and Sunday was the regular meeting at Macedonia. Quite a large crowd attended.

#### BOONE.

Apr. 29.—J. M. Young sold to J. W. Lambert a piece of land last week for \$125.00.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lambert spent Sunday with Mrs. Coyle.—Mr. Eden Wren is slowly improving.—James Healy of Crab Orchard has moved into Tom Wren's house.—Mrs. J. J. Wren sold thirty-two frying chickens last week for \$17.50.

### OWSLEY COUNTY.

#### TRAVELLERS REST.

Apr. 29.—Winter is broken and you can soon hear the creaking noise of the corn planters.—Mrs. Martha Wilson and two daughters, of Surgeon have been visiting friends and relatives at this place.—J. B. Rowlett is very poorly.—Fannie Scott and Nora Rowlett were the guests of Marcha Rowlett Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts and daughter were the guests of Mrs. J. B. Rowlett Saturday and Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman Sunday.—A. J. Cecil was home Sunday from his log hauling on Station Camp.—Mrs. J. B. Rowlett is very poorly.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tackett of Frankfort are visiting friends and relatives at this place.—Elmer Flanery is going to Hamilton, Ohio, the 30th to find employment.—Mrs. John Tarry is very sick with consumption.—Mrs. J. B. Bank is visiting friends at this place.—Lazarus and Lucy Malinous returned home from London, where they have been in school.

### ESTILL COUNTY.

#### WAGERSVILLE.

Apr. 25.—We are having some nice weather now.—Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Wagers are visiting friends and relatives at this place.—Misses Kathryn and Fun Wagers were the guests of their sister, Mrs. F. M. Warford last Friday.—Mr. Joe Kidwell is attending court at Irvine this week.—Mr. Sidney Wagers is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Edwards.—Miss Spicy Henderson is staying with her sister, Mrs. John Miller.—Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wagers were in Irvine Wednesday.—J. B. Wagers was the guest of Ambrose Wilson Sunday.—Hume Wagers was the guest of Mr. Gentry Park on Sunday afternoon.—Mr. A. C. Wilson paid the merchants of this place a visit Saturday.—Mrs. J. L. Scriven entertained a few friends Friday of last week. Those present were Messdames Jonah Wagers, A. E. Scriven, and Polle Fowler and Miss Edith Fowler.

### OHIO NEWS.

#### HAMILTON.

Apr. 26.—A heavy rain and thunder storm passed over Hamilton Thursday.—Cold weather has prevailed for two weeks, killing early plants and fruits.—House cleaning has begun and the Hamilton housewives are as busy as bees.—Henry Smith will make two weeks' visit to home folks in Welchburg, Jackson county, Ky.—Mr. Andrew Moore of Tyner, Ky., had two fingers cut badly while working on paper cutters at the C. C. Paper Co.—Blaine Isaacs from Owsley county, Ky., who has been working at Mason, Ohio, is now working for the C. C. Paper Co.—Sam Creech of Truvelers Rest, Ky., and Charley Bowles of Green Hall, Jackson county, Ky., both are confined at home with measles.—Arthur Flanery is now working for the Hoover, Owen & Rentschles Co., where the famous Corlies engine is made. They are now making three 10,000 horse powers one which will be used by the Champion Coated Paper Co. in their new mill now under construction.

struction.—The Shollenbarger Livery Stable and Dr. A. V. Mann's Veterinary Hospital on S. 2nd street were burned last Monday night, together with two horses. Dr. Mann is charged with the burning and is held by the grand jury under \$2,000 bond, which he gave.—Mrs. E. E. Flanery visited her husband last week at Cincinnati. He is a fireman on the Big Four Railroad. Mrs. Flanery leaves this week for Delaware, Ohio, where they will make their home.—The jury in the case of the State of Ohio vs. Clara Veenemann returned a verdict of not guilty, Wednesday. Mrs. Veenemann was charged with murder in the second degree because of the killing of her husband at their home one night last summer, after his return from a ball game in Cincinnati. She pleaded accidental shooting. The jury disagreed in a former trial.

## NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Tersley Told Information Concerning Matters of Current Interest to Kentuckians.

### THE STATE NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Here Are Found Accurately Detailed the Happenings of the Largest Import Which Are Attracting Attention Throughout Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., April 29.—An inquiry into the alleged holdings of coal mine property by the Illinois Central railroad in western Kentucky and the alleged discrimination of this road against mine owners and operators who are working independently in this territory, has begun before Judson C. Clements of the Interstate commerce commission, in the federal building. The inquiry on behalf of the commission will be conducted by Luther M. Walters, attorney for the body, assisted by Charles C. McChord, chairman of the Kentucky railroad commission. Subpoenas have been issued for about twenty witnesses.

### TRAIN AND BARN IN RACE

Big Structure, Blown Over by Wind, Crashes Into Rear Car.

Lexington, Ky., April 26.—Engineer Scannon of a Chesapeake & Ohio freight, was the hero of a thrilling race between a train and a barn, with several lives at stake. Scannon's train was passing Tebis station, near here, at a good rate, when the high wind which was blowing lifted a big tobacco barn from its foundations and started it rolling down hill toward the railroad, half a mile away. Scannon saw the danger and immediately threw the throttle wide open in an effort to outrun the barn. The heavy train was on the down grade and soon attained great momentum, but just as it looked as though the peril would be outrun the big barn crashed into the caboose, smashing it. The impact also shattered the barn, which collapsed on the track. Trainmen on the caboose saw their peril in time to escape by jumping.

### Mistrial in Kentucky Feud Case.

Lexington, Ky., April 26.—After twenty-four hours' deliberation, the jury in the case of Bill Britton, charged with the assassination of Town Marshal James A. Cockrill at Jackson, Breathitt county, reported a hopeless disagreement and was discharged. The jury stood eight for acquittal and four for conviction. The trial has been under way more than two weeks. This was one of the Breathitt county feud cases in which Senator Hargis, his brother, Judge Hargis, and others were charged with participation.

### Lost Money, Kills Himself.

Fulton, Ky., April 23.—James Gilbert, a son of Wm. Gilbert, a wealthy tobacco man of Murray, Ky., committed suicide aboard a train en route from Memphis, by swallowing a half ounce of poison. It is stated he had considerable money in his possession, but when his body was searched only five dollars was found. No motive for the act is known other than the evident loss of his money.

### Horse Dropped Dead.

Lexington, Ky., April 24.—Exton, (2:10 1/4), b. h., by Expedition, dam Lady Howth, by Sternberg, valued at \$10,000, dropped dead in his stall in the stable of Ed Benyon here. He was being trained by Benyon, but was owned by a Pittsburg syndicate. Exton won the Weest stake here last fall and was regarded as one of the best 2:10 prospects for the Grand circuit this year.

### Barbecue and Burgo.

Lexington, Ky., April 26.—Fully 15,000 people were here yesterday to attend a barbecue and burgo given by the American Society of Equity which has been organized to fight the alleged tobacco trust. Delegates from forty-three counties in Kentucky, Ohio and Indiana were here. The burgo was at Woodland park, and speeches followed later in the Auditorium.

### Effect of Two-Cent Fare Law.

Louisville, Ky., April 29.—It is semi-officially announced that after May 1 the rate between Louisville and Cincinnati over the L. & N. and B. & O. S. W. railroads will be \$2.75 instead of \$3.50, the present rate. The anticipated reduction is due to the 2-cent fare law in Indiana and Ohio.

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### THE "MAN EATER" DEAD

Shocking Incident of the Old Trail Is Thus Recalled.

Denver, Col., April 29.—The body of Alfred Packer, known as "the man eater," whose death occurred in Deer Creek canyon, has been brought to Littleton. Packer, who was an army scout, started to guide a party of five men from Salt Lake City to New Mexico in 1873. They became lost in the mountains where the snow was six feet deep, and Packer alone survived. The bodies of the other five men were later found. One body was dismembered. Packer disappeared but was captured in 1883. He was convicted of murdering his five companions and was sentenced to forty years' imprisonment. He declared that in his absence one of his companions killed the others and on his return attempted to kill him with a hatchet, whereupon he shot the man. Packer admitted he ate some of the human flesh. He was released on parole in 1901. Packer was sixty-four years old.

### AN OFFICIAL HINT

Is Given Certain Russian Papers to Get in Line.

St. Petersburg, April 29.—A significant article in the semi-official Russia reproaches the members of the Right in parliament for inciting the people to open rebellion and declares that in no other country would be found a party of traditional supporters of law and order treading the paths of the members of the Left. The article is regarded as an indication of the government's intention to suppress the newspapers of the party of the Right if they continue to preach violence. The Znamya, the organ of the Union of True Russian People, has been confiscated.

### Fighting Tobacco Trust.

Cadiz, Ky., April 26.—The tobacco factory of W. R. Wilson, twelve miles west of Cadiz, was destroyed by fire, the torch being applied. It is alleged, by a party of twenty-five mounted men, who fired several volleys. Wilson is an independent tobacco handler.

### Maxwell and His Bride Drowned.

Ashland, Ky., April 26.—Jasper Maxwell and his bride were drowned in the Big Sandy river while fording the stream on horseback. They were married three days ago and were on their way for a honeymoon visit with relatives in Boyd county.

### To Prevent Hostile Legislation.

Louisville, April 27.—An open meeting of the board of trade and the business men of the city is to be held soon to determine what steps shall be taken to prevent legislation hostile to the railroads of this section.

### Had to Wait Events.

Allice—Ethel says she really doesn't know whether he will propose or not. Jack—Just like a novel, isn't it? Allice—Yes. But in a novel you could turn to the last chapter and find out.

### Life.

A colored philosopher is reported to have said, "Life, my breddren, am mos'ly made up of prayin' for rain and then wishin' it would c'lar off."

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### Imaginary Diseases.

Only an imaginary remedy can cure an imaginary disease. This may be condemned by the righteous as quackery, and quackery of a kind it undoubtedly is. But if the real end of medicine is to cure, can she, when legitimate means fail, afford to despise anything that relieves suffering, even though that suffering be imaginary?—British Medical Journal.

### Sorry He Couldn't Read.

A merry party being gathered in a city flat made such a racket that the occupant of a neighboring apartment sent his servant down with a polite message, asking if it would be possible for the party to make less noise, since, as the servant announced, "Mr. Smith says that he cannot read." "I am very sorry for Mr. Smith," replied the host. "Please present my compliments to your master, say that I am sorry he cannot read and tell him I could when I was four years old!"

### A Courtship of 25 Years.

The recent wedding of Miss Margaret McCough, of New Derry, and Oscar Crissinger, of Derry, was the culmination of a courtship which had extended over a quarter of a century. There had been no lovers' quarrels, but Miss McCough would not set the day, and the event was delayed from year to year until now the bride is 60 years old and the bridegroom is 65. —Latrobe Correspondence, Pittsburg Dispatch.

### Chestnut as Article of Food.

The chestnut may be used as a vegetable or ground into a flour for bread making or prepared as a soup or pudding, while it makes an agreeable addition to candy. In Italy, France, Spain and Turkey the nut serves as one of the chief articles of food of peasants.

### When Friendship Decreases.

Friendship decreases whenever there is on the one side too much happiness and too much misfortune on the other.—Carmen Sylva (Queen Elizabeth of Roumania).